

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 63

January 12, 2023

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires that a copy of the order terminating parental or guardianship rights, as obtained by the prospective adoptive parents, be certified by the clerk of the court and be filed as an exhibit to the petition for adoption.

FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- The certification by the clerk of the court that enters the order will be done within existing court resources. Therefore, any fiscal impact will be not significant.
- Tennessee Code Annotated § 36-1-113(p) currently requires that a copy of the order be filed with the petition for adoption. Filing the order as an exhibit to the petition can be done at no additional expense.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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